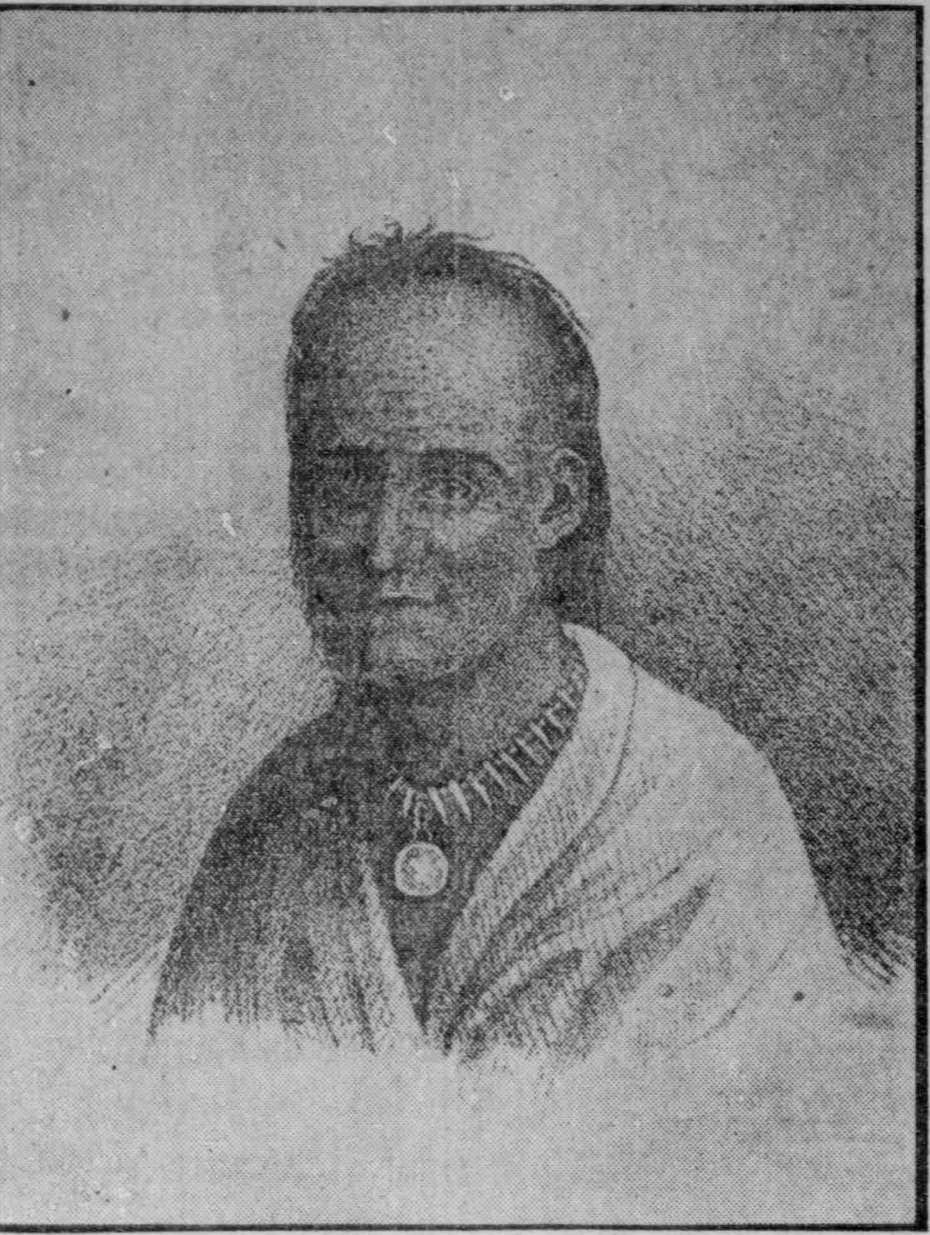


First Prohibitionist Was Indian Prophet



MEHECUTENNEQUA, OR LITTLE TURTLE,
Indian, Who Was the Original Prohibitionist, Says History.

N these days, when the question of "wet" and "dry" zones throughout the United States is under discussion and the question of restricted liquor traffic is being voted upon in many parts of the country, it may be interesting to know of the "Original Prohibitionist." He was an Indian. Some people called him a savage, yet he was the first and only living man who ever persuaded the government of the United States to take any steps in the regulation of the liquor traffic, other than to tax it.

One hundred and nine years ago yesterday the "Original Prohibitionist"—Mehecutennequa, the English literal translation of which is "Little Turtle"—appeared before the "Great Father" in Washington, who happened to be Thomas Jefferson, and through an interpreter implored the President to forbid the sale of liquor to the Indians within the jurisdiction of the United States. Thomas Jefferson gave heed to the suggestions of the Miami Indian chief, and sent a special message to Congress, which resulted in giving the treasury department the power to restrict the introduction and sale of spirituous liquors to the Indians.

William E. Johnson, chief special agent of the United States Indian service, whose headquarters are in Salt Lake, has marked the event, and considers Mehecutennequa a prominent figure and the one who laid the foundation for the restriction of introduction and sale of liquor within the limits of government Indian reservations.

According to Mr. Johnson, the great chief and prophet, Lawlewaska of the Shawnee Indians, also did his part to establish a superstition which for many years held the Indians of North America in fear of "fire-water."

Lawlewaska was blind of one eye. To the Indians it was a mark of distinction and one which marked him as a seer and a medicine man. One day, more than half a century ago, Lawlewaska had a vision. He dreamed that he was unceremoniously transported to the shades of hell. There he saw an endless line of Indians with fire issuing from their mouths like so many blow-flames. When he inquired of Satan why the Indians were subjected to such endless tortures, he was informed by his satanic majesty that while on earth the Indians had been whiskey drinkers, and that the punishment of being everlasting blow-pipes

CITY BREVITIES

JAMES K. MILLER has been appointed postmaster at Saltair, this county, succeeding William Thomas, resigned. Saltair postoffice is located at Saltair station, on the line of the Salt Lake & Los Angeles railroad, near the salt works.

DISTRICT WARDEN A. W. MOYES of the state fish and game commissioner's office yesterday distributed 150,000 trout in the streams in Weber county from the Murray hatchery.

RONALD McD. PREW of Salt Lake yesterday filed a petition in bankruptcy. A. T. Banyard, also of Salt Lake, filed a petition and asked for adjudication in bankruptcy.

THE LOCAL CHAPTER of the American Woman's league will hold its regular meeting Saturday afternoon, April 23, at 3 o'clock, at the parlors of the Kanyon hotel. The regular meetings are held on the second and fourth Saturdays of the month. The fourth Saturday of the month, the one on the second Saturday is to be held in the evening, in order that all members may arrange to be present. A program has been arranged for Saturday evening, and matters of great interest will be presented.

W. W. PAINE, food and drug inspector under the government pure food law, returned to Salt Lake yesterday, after an inspection trip in the south west covering a period of four months.

A. H. COLLINGS will speak tonight at 444 South Main street on "Life Has No Purpose."

O. P. MILLER and David A. Smith of the presiding bishopric will speak tonight at 6:20 in the Second ward chapel, Seventh South and Fifth East streets. There will be special music.

IN A LETTER received at the office of Governor William Spry yesterday the International Association of Road

Congresses asks the co-operation of Utah in the congress to be held in Paris in October of this year, and also that legislation be passed by the next Utah legislature looking to the improvement of the roads.

WILLARD HANSEN, state food and dairy commissioner, left last night for Provo, where he spoke before the Utah County Medical society on the necessity of municipal ordinances protecting those who patronize stores, restaurants and other eating houses against flies and dirt in the food.

THE FIRST camping party of the season left yesterday for Ogden canyon. It is made up of the families of Will Applegate, Charles Clow, Charles H. Kelly and Will W. Davis.

T. J. WATSON, manager of sales agencies in the United States for the National Cash Register company, C. A. Snyder, district manager for California, and C. A. Dress are in the city, making an inspection of the local agency in the Groschell-Forshee building.

WORK being done by the county commissioners in all parts of the state will be reported to the Utah Highways commission at their meeting to be held in the office of Governor William Spry Monday afternoon. Each of the counties is to receive \$2,000 from the state for the improvement of the highways, and reports are expected from many of the counties on the roads chosen for this work.

A MEETING of the state board of insanity will be held Monday for the discussion of matters pertaining to the State Mental hospital at Provo.

AFTER working for several weeks, the Utah Sand, Dredging & Construction company has finished its contract with the city in deepening the channel of the surplus canal and stopped the work last night. The city paid \$5,000 for the work, and it is expected that the result will be felt when the high water comes in June. This is all the work that will be done by the dredging company, as the city will start its own work when the municipal dredge reaches here some time during the summer.

THE CORPORATE existence of the National Bank of the Republic has been ex-

tended twenty years by the comptroller of the currency, according to advice received here from Washington yesterday.

DISPLAYING great courage, Chris Sorenson, driver for the Armour Packing company, stopped his horses at Main and First South streets yesterday afternoon, after they had broken away from their hitching straps and were bounding north in Main street. No property was destroyed and the horses were uninjured.

IN AN ATTEMPT to make J. O. Loy and Young Woo qualify on the bond for \$300 for their fellow-Celestial, Woo Joe, who was arrested on a charge of violating the liquor ordinance, in police court yesterday morning, it developed that both Loy and Woo are not only extensive owners of property, but have an abundance of money in the banks.

THE REGULAR vespers services will be held today in the Y. W. C. A. rooms, Brooks Arcade building, at 5 o'clock today. The Rev. Charles E. Perkins will speak and Miss Elizabeth Robinson will sing. A fellowship luncheon and social half-hour will follow. All women and girls are invited.

KAZAZ JERUSHIZKA, who says he is a Russian Jew, dashed into police headquarters yesterday morning and said that nihilists were after him and would kill him on sight. He is believed to be demented.

SERENO B. TUTTLE and family have removed from 22 H street to 428 Thirteenth East street.

HIGH MASS will be celebrated at the Danish Lutheran church at 11 o'clock this morning, and in the evening at 8 o'clock. The Rev. Harald Jensen will preach.

MATHONIAH THOMAS will speak at 6:30 o'clock tonight at the Third ward chapel, Seventh South and State streets. Special music has been arranged.

THE AGENCY for this territory of the Cadillac motor car has passed into the hands of the Raymond-Brocker Auto company, which has recently built a very completely appointed showroom and garage in East First South street. The Cadillac was formerly handled by the Utah Motor Car company.

TO TALK ON WOMAN'S WORK

Marian L. Woodberry of New York city, national secretary of woman's work for the Congregational Home Missionary society, has been in Salt Lake the past several days, visiting the Congregational churches of the west. The board of home missions has interested itself in the work of the west, and Miss Woodberry is here to look over local conditions. She will speak this morning in Phillips Congregational church on "Immigration." In this she will tell of the work being done by missionaries representing various churches at Ellis Island, the great port for immigrants. Each of the denominations have missionaries at the port, and the different nationalities are divided, the Congregational church taking care of the arrivals from the seven Balkan states. Miss Woodberry leaves for Provo immediately after the service this morning and expects to spend several days visiting in other towns of the state.

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ACCEPTANCE IS LIKELY

Striking Street Carmen of Philadelphia to Vote on Question of Returning to Work.

Philadelphia, April 16.—Contrary to expectations, the striking carmen of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit company did not call off the strike at today's mass meeting, but decided to put the question to a vote of all the men tonight and tomorrow. It is expected the poll will show a majority for a return to work.

The strike leaders hope to make the vote public tomorrow, and fully expect to see the men back at work early next week.

The meeting was held to ratify the action of the executive committee of the strikers in accepting the offer made by the traction company on March 29. C. O. Pratt, national organizer, presided at the meeting. He urged the men to accept the proposition.

The company's offer provides for a return of the men, after which their grievances, including wages, will be taken up with the committee. The 174 men whose discharge precipitated the strike, are to be taken back and their cases arbitrated. All men who cannot be immediately reinstated in their old positions, are to receive \$2 a day until they receive a regular run.

BACKWOODS SQUABBLE.

Members of Christian Church in Indiana Fall Out Over Use of Organ.

Washington, Ind., April 16.—Falling to determine in fraternal council whether or not musical instruments properly may be employed in the services of the Christian church, differing factions in its membership in southern Indiana, decided to ask the courts to rule, and the controversy came before the Martin county circuit court today.

The "progressive" wing of the Christian church at Trinity Springs is suing the "non-organist" wing for possession of the church, which includes a small reed organ.

It was over this organ that contention originally arose. Before it was installed at the request of a traveling evangelist, music in the church had consisted solely of congregational singing of hymns, without instrumental accompaniment.

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